

Director of Training

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Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

Weekly Activity Report #45

1. Letter for DCI Signature

The letter on Public Law 85-864, Defense Education Act of 1958, prepared for the Director's signature has received the concurrence of the Director of Personnel and the General Counsel. Mr. Warner, Deputy General Counsel, suggested some changes in wording which have been effected. No substantive change was made.

2. Revised KUBARK/Europe Wartime Organization

Received a draft on planning readjustments prepared by C/PPC-DD/P to Senior War Planner, Europe. Any training implications will be provided for in the Support Annex.

3. Savings Study - Master Construction Plan

The study to satisfy the requirements of the DD/S in regard to dollar savings that could be realized as a result of major construction at [] is progressing. Prior to 1958 no cost accounting records were maintained at the Public Works Office. As a result, exhaustive research is necessary. It is anticipated that the study will be completed and available for presentation to DD/S the second week of December.

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Mr. Edwards is of the opinion that the question is one of policy, but his office would assist in security clearances if such a policy were implemented.

The foregoing is for the use of Mr. [REDACTED], who is meeting with State Department representatives on the problem.

5. Mitchell Report

Extracted comments and recommendations for review by DDTR.

6. Project USEFUL

C/PPS participated in Project USEFUL on 5 November from 0900 to 1000. This group evidenced great interest in the Office of Training activities, especially in the JOT Program. Questions on selection of JOT's, their military training, obligations, methods, and diversity of assignment, etc. showed an interest and alertness which is not normally expected on the morning following election day. Questions on other matters were directed principally to CIA stations abroad working with the military in peacetime as well as wartime, and the participation of CIA civilians and reserve officers in intermediate, advanced, and specialized military schools. It appeared that this group took the opening day remarks of the Director of Training and the DDCI at their face value.

7. Senior Officers Course

In connection with the plans for the Senior Officers Course, have discussed and reviewed the course and the objectives with C/OS. It was agreed that the next step prior to presentation to the DD/P representative should be a meeting with the DTR, C/OS, and C/PPS for final analysis of all suggestions obtained to date. Since C/OS meets with DTR at 1000 on 17 November, a portion of the meeting might be devoted to this subject.

8. New Building

As a matter of interest, visitors to the new building site will require a badge after 1 December 1958. Further particulars will be obtained by PPS for the information of OTR personnel desiring to visit the site.

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